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Re: REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PETITION UNDER
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Sir:

This Request is being timely filed in response to a DECISION ON PETITION mailed on May 11, 2006 by the USPTO that dismissed Applicants' PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.181(a) FOR RE-MAILING OF NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE AND RE-START OF ISSUE FEE DUE DATE filed on April 11, 2006 for the above application.

Upon review of the DECISION ON PETITION by the undersigned, it appears that the Office of Petitions asserts that the PETITION filed on April 11, 2006 was acceptable, except that the docketing records originally submitted with the PETITION as Exhibit A were allegedly

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not sufficient to provide clarification of the firm's practice for docketing communications from the USPTO.

In response, attached hereto as Exhibit A please find copies of additional screens from the firm's docketing records for the present application in question. The first screen is the screen on which Office Action information was entered for the Office Action mailed on April 8, 2004 and on which filing date information was entered for the Amendment filed on June 29, 2004. The second screen is the screen on which the receipt date of the Notice of Allowance would have been entered, and on which the corresponding issue fee due date and issue fee payment date information would have been entered. As is evident from the latter screen, the Notice of Allowance date of receipt was never entered because the Notice was never received.

Also, referring back to Exhibit A of the April 11th PETITION, the Office should note that the docketing system enables the status of the present application as indicated on the upper

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